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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re U.S. Patent Application of: )

Applicant(s): Zhang et al. )

Serial No.: 10/664,146 )

Filed: September 17, 2003 )

For: CMOS-TYPE SEMICONDUCTOR )  
DEVICE AND METHOD OF )  
FABRICATING THE SAME )

Art Unit: )

Examiner: )

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PETITION AND  
AMENDMENT FOR CORRECTION OF INVENTORSHIP  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b)

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

The above-named Application is a Divisional Application in which only a portion of the claims of the parent application (Serial No. 09/277,880) were retained. With the cancellation of Claims 1-21, a change in inventorship is necessary.

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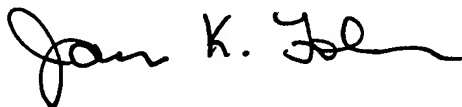
Three of the joint inventors ---Kenichi Yanai, Tetsuro Hori, and Yutaka Takizawa-- did not contribute to the subject matter of now pending Claims 22-35. Accordingly, Applicants hereby petition that the names Kenichi Yanai, Tetsuro Hori, and Yutaka Takizawa be deleted as joint inventors, as these inventors' contributions are no longer being claimed in the above-named Application. Therefore, the only two inventors in the present Application are Hongyong Zhang and Makoto Igarashi.

In fulfillment of the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.48 (b), a check for \$130.00, the petition fee set forth in 37 C.F.R. §1.17(i), is also enclosed herein.

Applicants respectfully request entry of this Petition and Amendment for Correction of Inventorship because the proper procedures required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.48(b) are believed to have been followed.

Respectfully submitted,

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